

1 CLAIMS.

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4 1. A garment comprising:

6 a head covering member, comprising:
7 an elongated body having
8 a front end; and
9 a back end having a bottom surface;

11 a neck member having a body, comprising:

12 two ends, the ends being joined by
13 a means for fastening,
14 the means for fastening not being coextensive with the
15 ends;

17 the means for fastening attached to the body proximate one of
18 the ends, forming a flap, the flap positioned beneath the
19 means for fastening;

20 the body further having an upper region;

22 the head covering member being joined to the neck member upper
23 region by attachment of the head covering member proximate its
24 bottom surface;

26 the means for fastening being attached to the neck member at
27 an angle that is not parallel with the length of the neck of a
28 wearer; and

30 a means for connecting, the means for connecting joining the
31 neck member ends at a region where the neck member ends are not
32 connected by the means for fastening, such that when the means for
33 fastening is moved to an open position, the garment remains open

1 when worn by the wearer.

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3 2. The garment as described in claim 1, wherein the means for
4 fastening is a zipper.

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6 3. The garment as described in claim 2, wherein the zipper is
7 attached to the neck member body at an angle between about 10
8 degrees and about 170 degrees.

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10 4. The garment as described in claim 3, wherein the zipper is
11 attached to the neck member body at an angle between about 30
12 degrees and about 150 degrees.

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14 5. The garment as described in claim 4, wherein the zipper is
15 attached to the neck member body at an angle of about 45 degrees.

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17 6. The garment as described in claim 1, wherein the means for
18 fastening is further attached to the neck member body proximate the
19 second end, forming a second flap, the second flap being beneath
20 the means for fastening.

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22 7. The garment as described in claim 6, wherein the head covering
23 member further comprises a second seam, the second seam being
24 formed along the front edge.

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26 8. The garment as described in claim 2, wherein the bottom surface
27 of the head covering member is not coextensive with the neck member
28 body.

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30 9. A garment comprising:

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32 a head covering member, comprising:
33 an elongated body having

1 a front end; and
2 a back end having a lower edge;

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4 a neck member having a body, the body comprising two ends,
5 a zipper attached to the body proximate the ends, forming a
6 first flap and a second flap, both flaps being positioned beneath
7 the zipper, the zipper not being coextensive with the ends, the
8 zipper being attached to the body proximate one of the ends, the
9 body further comprising an upper region;

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11 the head covering member being joined to the neck member upper
12 region by attachment of the head covering member proximate its
13 lower edge;

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15 a means for connecting, the means for connecting closing the
16 body at a region where the ends are not connected to the zipper;
17 and

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19 the zipper being attached at an angle that is about 45
20 degrees;

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22 such that when the zipper is moved into a closed position, the
23 garment enables the wearer to warm their neck, and when the zipper
24 is moved into an open position, the garment enables the wearer to
25 cool their neck, and the ends are separated and remain open,
26 exposing an area of the wearer and enabling the exposed area to be
27 cooled down without interference from the garment.

1 10. A garment comprising:

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3 a head covering member, comprising:

4 an elongated body having

5 a front end; and

6 a back end having a lower edge;

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8 a neck member having a body, comprising:

9 two ends, the ends formed at an angle that is not
10 perpendicular to the body, the ends being joined by
11 a means for fastening,

12 the means for fastening not being coextensive with the
13 ends;

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15 the means for fastening attached to the body proximate one of
16 the ends, forming a flap, the flap positioned beneath the
17 means for fastening;

18 the body further having an upper region;

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20 the head covering member being joined to the neck member upper
21 region by attachment of the head covering member proximate its
22 lower edge;

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24 and

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26 a means for connecting, the means for connecting joining the
27 neck member ends at a region where the neck member ends are not
28 connected by the means for fastening, such that when the means for
29 fastening is moved to an open position, the garment remains open.

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31 11. The garment as described in claim 10, wherein the means for
32 fastening is a zipper.

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34 12. The garment as described in claim 11, wherein the zipper is

1 attached to the neck member body at an angle between about 10
2 degrees and about 170 degrees.

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4 13. The garment as described in claim 12, wherein the zipper is
5 attached to the neck member body at an angle between about 30
6 degrees and about 150 degrees.

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8 14. The garment as described in claim 13, wherein the zipper is
9 attached to the neck member body at an angle of about 45 degrees.

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11 15. The garment as described in claim 10, wherein the means for
12 fastening is further attached to the neck member body proximate the
13 second end, forming a second flap, the second flap being beneath
14 the means for fastening.

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16 16. The garment as described in claim 15, wherein the head covering
17 member further comprises a second seam, the second seam being
18 formed along the front edge.

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20 17. The garment as described in claim 11, wherein the bottom
21 surface of the head covering member is not coextensive with the
22 neck member body.

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24 18. A garment comprising:

25 a head covering member, comprising:

26 an elongated body having

27 a front end; and

28 a back end having a lower edge;

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30 a neck member having a body, the body comprising two ends,
31 the ends formed at an angle that is not perpendicular to
32 the body,

33 a zipper attached to the body proximate the ends, forming

1 a first flap and a second flap, both flaps being positioned
2 beneath the zipper, the zipper not being coextensive with the
3 ends, the zipper being attached to the body proximate one of
4 the ends, the body further comprising an upper region;

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7 the head covering member being joined to the neck member upper
8 region by attachment of the head covering member proximate its
9 lower edge;

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11 a means for connecting, the means for connecting closing the
12 body at a region where the ends are not connected to the zipper;
13 and

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15 the zipper being attached at an angle that is about 45
16 degrees;

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18 such that when the zipper is moved to an open position, the
19 ends are separated and the garment remains open.